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Harunari SHIMAMURA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: CNF NO. 5666
Application No.: 10/508,341	:	Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned
Filed: September 20, 2004	:	Examiner: Not yet assigned

For: NEGATIVE ELECTRODE MATERIAL AND NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE SECONDARY BATTERY USING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Requirements dated March 29, 2004, submitted herewith are the following for filing in the above-referenced application:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney (which is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63)
2. Assignment and Recordation Fee of \$40.00 (on Separate postcard)

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

It is requested that the official filing receipt now be issued.

Respectfully submitted,

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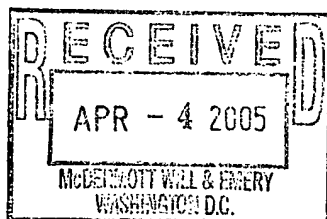
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/20/2004
- English Translation of the IA filed on 09/20/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/20/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/20/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/20/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 09/20/2004

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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